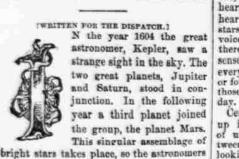
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WHO HAVE EYES, YET CANNOT SEE

Only the Three Wise Men Recognized the Star of Bethlehem.

SPIRITUAL GRACE OF RECOGNITION



bright stars takes place, so the astronomers teach, every 800 years. It was visible in the year 800. It was visible—and here is the notable thing about it—in the year one, in a strength of the sentences which I have in mind is this: the year when Christ was born. Astronomers are agreed, I understand, that Jupiter | Another is this: "It any man shall do His and Saturn met three times in the year 741 will, he shall know of the doctrine whether of the Roman era, a little before the Christit be of God." You see that these are tian year one. In the Roman year 748 Mars simply statements on the spiritual side joined the group. This was two years before the accepted date of the birth of Christ.

Did the Eastern astrologers, whose mysgospel, read in that strange grouping of planets a message which started them on And after a two-years' journey did the new star shine out to light them over the path from Jerusalem to Bethlebem?

THE STAR OF BETHLEHEM.

the sight of the star all to themselves, we may be quite sure of that. This fact that everybody knew about this

the sun were to rise, some fine morning, in If we would behold new stars of truth in

no star at all ie wise men alone found cause for rejoicing. they alone read the enigma of the sky, they alone translated the message of God

may learn something here. I find in these wise men of the Epiphany

an example of the spiritual grace of recog-

MEN WHO RECOGNIZED.

is a plain distinction, I say, between obser-

vation and recognition. in the world. The mother and the child had ionrneyed in from Bethlehem. They had traveled over country roads and city streets. meeting many people, but not attracting anybody's straying attention. And they stood in the temple court smid a crowd of others, quite unnoticed. A great many people saw them, but what they saw was only a peasant woman with a baby; a common sight. Nobody looked twice at them. But suddenly an old man chanced to see them, and at once he recognized them. A voice spoke in his heart and told him the great secret. He took the child in his arms and thanked God. Here was the child of ancient promise; here was the Savior, "Lord," he cried, "Mine eyes have seen Thy salvation." But the bystanders saw no salvation. They were only observers. Here

of a crowd which was pressing upon Him, and asked a question which the disciples thought was a very queer question, indeed. He said, "Who touched Me?" Why, they were all touching Him. Yes; they were all touching Him, just as all the people in the as everybody in the world was seeing the Epiphany star. But there was only one which He meant it-with the touch which gained a blessing, the touch of spiritual

There are always two conditions necessary to the act of seeing: there must be a visible object, and there must be a seeing eye. I suppose that hardly any two people see the same object in precisely the same way, because we all look out of different eyes.
"The eye sees what it brings of seeing." I have heard of one to whom the whole world is gray. The world, as he sees it, is a world of gray grass and gray trees and gray sun-sets and gray people. But the grayness is in the man's eyes. I know a man who misses one little corner out of every star. Every point of light—an electric lamp, a moon, or a star—has a little piece nicked is no nick in the star.

These things are parables of this growth of recognition of which I speak. To one man all things connected with the spiritual life, with the great problems which have engaged the great thinkers—all these things are simply uninteresting. The church which stands for these things; the creed which voices the profoundest interpretation which the race has put upon these things, he sets quite aside. They are without interest to him. They are all a dull gray. But the

For, after all, it is not the eye which sees; it is the mind, behind the eye, which looks through. It is not the ear which hears. The men heard just the same sound who DABBS is making said, some of them, "An angel spoke to ever.

THE EPIPHANY STAR. him," and some of them, "It thundered." after which some go away touched and Rev. George Hodges Discourses of the Countless Multitudes

Countless Multitudes presence in their hearts, and some carry sway nothing at all, except a sense of separation between God and them. So it is said, "The pure in heart shall see God," for only the pure cau see God. The old legends told how the star of the Epiphany, after its task of guiding was done, fell into a well, where it may be seen to-day, but only by the pure hearted. Only the pure hearted may behold the stars of God, may hear the voice of God. It isn't that the stars of truth are not visible, or that the voice of truth is not audible, it is only that astronomer, Kepler, saw a there is an impediment of the spiritual strange sight in the sky. The senses. It was strange that a star which everybody saw was really seen only by three or four. But you see that that was one of and Saturn, stood in con- those strange things which happen every

Certain sentences of Holy Scripture flash the group, the planet Mars.

This singular assemblage of universal truth, that the difference between observation and recognition, between looking on and looking in, is mainly a dif-"Spiritual things are spiritually discerned."

upon the seer. If the revelation, the message, the gospel But here comes the strangest fact of all.

Kepler, in 1864, saw in the midst of the so blessedly full of comfort and joy and three planets a bright, new star. This peace and spiritual satisfaction unspeakable, glowing star, after showing for a few days, does not touch you, does not commend itself vanished away. The astronomical records of the Chinese show that in the year which in the Roman era was numbered 750, and in our era is numbered 1, the very year of the Bethlehem is but a common and unmeaning birth of the Messiah, the same thing hap star among the multitudes of heaven, and pened. This bright, new, evanescent star Christ but a common man, wholly human and not divine at all, among the multitudes of earth, you must confess that there is at terious visit is written in St Matthew's least a possibility that the blindness is in you. You may be only an observer, lacking

the grace of recognition.

We do well to call those Epiphany pilgrims the wise men. Here is precisely the distinction between a wise man and an unwise man. The wise man sees, recognizes.

SPIRITUAL RECOGNITION. Perhaps so. At any rate, with no "perhaps" about it, this is certain that the whole the star? How came they, in a blind world, world saw a strange sight in the sky about to see? We want to know the answer to

The fact which I want to bring out is that everybody saw the star. You cannot hide a the same meaning, and each embodied by Jones, O. G. star. The wise men from the East had not | the Master in a short word. One answer is centered in the word "seek," the other in the word "watch." The wise men here saw, because they watched and sought. Nobody star emphasizes one singular thing about else saw, because nobody else was either

The wise men, we cannot help believing, were looking for that star. The old tradi-tion which shows them studying the prophewhen they saw the star they rejoiced with exceeding great joy." And nobody else, so far as we know, did that. Many faces were, no don't with the star they rejoiced meaning of the promise of the star, and watching the sky night so watching the sky, night after night, for its appearing—that old legend has a heart of osity, with admiration, with wonder. And truth in it. The wise men recognized the many faces, probably, were not upturned at star because they were seeking and watching for it. They were ready for the sight.

For watching and seeking result in readiness, and the reward of readiness is recog-

the West, they would only wonder why so | the sky of God, we must be ready. God is the West, they would only wonder why so many people were looking so curiously into the sky. I suppose that many people saw so star at all.

But among all who saw and wondered, the wise men along found cause for rejoicing.

We ought long one to have looking so curiously into always revealing truth, but we are not always attentive to His views; we are not always ready. Sometimes the revelation comes in a language we do not understand. D. Grupen; Prelate, D. B. Stevenson; Secretary I. We ought long officers of Allegheny installed the following officers of Allegheny insta many people were looking so curiously into always revealing truth, but we are not the sky. I suppose that many people saw always attentive to His views; we are not We ought long ago to have learned that language, but we have been idle over our lessons, and when the revelation comes we pay which He had written upon the heavens. | the inevitable penalty, of not understanding Even when they declared plainly and openly, as they did in the streets of Jerusalem, what the message was, what the star meant, people only looked blankly or unmen who date the real beginning of their easily one at another. Some were per- intellectual and spiritual lives to the readplexed, some were "troubled," some were ing of two books: The sermons of Fredtoo much in a hurry even to listen; some erick Robertson and the poems of Robert said, "Is that so?" and that was the end of Browning. These books have actually reit for them. Alone came the pilgrims to generated these men. They rose up from the Holy City, and there were no accessions reading them, and, for the first time, saw. Now, here is a strange thing. Here is something to wonder at. And it, like the cause we know that they would do the boys But we do not put these helpful books into wise men, we do not content ourselves with and girls no good at all. The boys and girls wondering, but translate wonder into search | have not yet learned the intellectual lanand make our wonder a guide-post and not guage in which these books are written. a hitching-post, a way and not a wall, we They helped the men, because the men were ready. Recognition waits upon readiness.

Spiritual recognition waits upon spiritual Make yourself spiritually ready. Seek the revelation of truth along the path of daily duty. Keep your eyes and your heart open and sensitive to all higher influences. Put yourself in the way of the surest Chris-

GEORGE HODGES.

The Advantages of Education THIS ROAD IS

"Now, if I hadn't been able to read, what a fix I might have been in!"-Life.

Electrical Diagnosis of the Brain.

Several of the Eastern papers are noticing the electropathic diagnosis and treatment of the brain discovered by the electrical phenomenon, Dr. S. L. Johnson, of this city, temple were beholding the holy child, just and speak favorably of the remarkable results gained in diseases of the brain by his

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—I. A. Justice, Past Archon of Youngstown Conclave, is a Past Grand Master Workman of the A. O. U. W. of Ohio, —Indiana Conclave, of Indiana, Pa., was instituted last July with 45 charter members; now reports 85 on its roll.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

-S. U. Trent, Esq., is the Supreme Representative-elect from Friendship Conclave; G. E. Williams is the alternate.
-C. E. Hambright, Deputy Supreme Archon of Allegheny county, Maryland, is the Grand Warden of the Royal Arcanum of Maryland. —The I.O. H. Degree team visited J. K. Moorhead Conclave, of this city, on last Monday evening. Three candidates were initiated and five applications were received. A number of visitors were present. Speeches and a banquet were the closing exercises of an enjoyable meeting. able meeting.

able meeting.

-The contest between Captains David W. Sloan, Past Archon, and C. E. Hambright, Deputy Supreme Archon, of Knobly Conclave of Cumberland, Md., resulted in favor of Captain Hambright, who, with aids, proposed five more candidates there between July I, 1888, and January I, 1889, than Captain Sloan and aids. A solid gold badge and a banquet was the reward. the reward.

—Supreme Organizer Samuel I Osmond recently instituted a fine conclave at Youngstown, O. The following officers were chosen:
Past Archon, I. A. Justice, Esq.; Deputy Supreme Archon, J. M. Reno: Provost, M. W.
Johnson, Esq.; Prelate, J. W. Jewhurst; Inspector, Frank S. McKee; Secretary, Mansfield
F. Milton; Financier, C. C. Howard; Treasurer,
J. M. Stanton; Warder, D. A. Walker; Sentinel,
Frank Fredmore; trustees, C. E. Kennedy; A.
M. Archer, John S. Roller; Medical Examiner,
Dr. George S. Peck; Representative to Supreme Dr. George S. Peck: Representative to Supreme Conclave, I. A. Justice; alternate, J. M. Reno.

Conclave, I. A. Justice; alternate, J. M. Reno.

—At a regular meeting of Pittsburg Conclate No. 88, held last Thursday evening, the following gentlemen were made "Hops:" W. H. Miles, Thomas P. Druitt, J. W. Heustis, C. H. Ogden and E. A. Graff. Deputy Supreme Archon S. U. Trent, Esq., assisted by Supreme Organizer Osmond, installed the following officers: Past Archon, Albert Cline; Archon, John I. Shaw; Provost, Samuel McElroy; Prelate, H. J. Lawrence; Inspector, R. Lowry; Secretary, O. D. Hartzell; Financier, W. J. McGregor; Treasurer, W. H. Duffell; Warder, J. Howard Speer; Sentinel, Humphries Miller; Trustees, A. C. Shaw, John W. Grove, Joseph McNaugher, Jr.; Medical Examiners, Drs. R. W. McClelland, Cyrus B. King, E. J. Matson; Representative to Supreme Conclave, S. A. Duncan, and Matson R. D. Bryce, of Homestead Conclave. Past Archon S. A. Duncan, on behalf of conclave, presented an elegant umbrella to Deputy S. U. Trent, Major Sidney Omohundro presented Archon John I. Shaw with a Waterbury watch, Supreme Organizer Osmond, for the conclave, presented Past Archon Omohundro with a solid gold badge of the order.

Knights of Pythias.

-The open installation of Smoky City Lodge No. 392, which took place on Thursday evening, at Maltby Hall, was a most interesting occasion. A choice musical and literary programme was presented, after which the following officers were installed by District Deputy C. C. Dr. J. N. Staun, assisted by D. R. Thompson, J. C. Stulz and Wm. Sellers: J. C. McKowan, C. C.; William Wayman, V. C.; Scott Dibert, Prelate, E. Jones, Warden; T. J. Thomas, I. G.; M. Jones O. G.

Jones, O. G.

—District Deputy Philip Adler, assisted by E.
Wrass and Charles Heinrich, of Gustav
Adolph Lodge No. 489, installed the following
officers of Mozart Lodge No. 189, K. of P., last
Tuesday evening: Chancellor Commander,
Joseph Heinmiller; Vice Chancellor, Henry
Mathers; Prelate, Leopold Hoechstetter; Inner
Guard, Adam Fakinger; Outer Guard, Peter
Sturm. The order is in a very flourishing condition in the First district, According to an
interview with the District Deputy, Dr. Staub,
over 100 members were gained in the term.
The funds of the lodges have increased, despite The funds of the lodges have increased, despite the fact that over \$2,000 was expended for charity and relief. Suspensions were few. Of the 13 lodges in the city, Invincible Lodge, of the East End, leads with 27 new members. An organized effort is being made to properly cel-ebrate the 25th anniversary of the founding of the order February 19 next.

Order of Golden Chain.

-M. C. Bryant, Deputy Supreme Councilor, tary, I. M. Eitenmiller: Collector, J. G. Smith; Treasurer, A. S. Smith; Guide, W. H. Mc-Claren; Guardian, O. R. Shannon; Sentinel, R. P. Oliver; Trustees, H. S. Oliver, Dr. O. R. Shannon, M. C. Bryant.

Shannon, M. C. Bryant.

-The following are the officers of Avalon Castle No. 242 of Pittsburg, for the ensuing six months' term: Past Chief, Wm. T. Powell; Noble Chief, Thomas E. Morgan; Vice Chief, H. J. Bombaugh; High Priest, J. E. Stromberg; Venerable Hermit, J. H. Stromberg; Master of Records, Louis Smith, Jr.; Clerk of Exchequer, George F. Cramer; Keeper of Exchequer, W. E. Macfarlane; Sir Herald, H. H. Heckman; Worthy Bard, Thomas Aston; Worthy Chamberlain, Anthony Schaefer; Ensign, Jacob Schaefer; Esquire, C. S. Horman; First Guardsman, W. H. Bateman: Second Guardsman, Ernest Keller; Representative to the Grand Castle, Louis Smith, Jr.

Knights of the Golden Engle.

-The following are the officers of Star of the West Castle No. 93, of Pittsburg, for the ensu-ing six months' term: Past Chief, G. A. Trivan; Noble Chief, E. G. Taylor; Vice Chief, G. W. Scott; High Priest, Fred Pickard: Venerable Hermit, E. S. Hackwelder; Master of Records, Samuel Hackwelder; Gerk of Exchequer, H. E. Atkins; Keeper of Exchequer, James McCauley; Sir Herald, C. L. Koerner; Worthy Bard E. C. Jennings; Worthy Chambacking, P. Bard, E. C. Jennings; Worthy Chamberlain, R. P. Jennings; Ensign, Thos. Pickard; Esquire, Charles Sellers; First Guardsman, Davis Chersky; Second Guardsman, David Rees; Trustees, Thompson, Taylor, Irwin; Representative to the Grand Castle, S. Hackwelder.

—Jannary 8, Security Lodge No.703, K. of H., had a very pleasant time installing the officers elected for the ensuing six months. The interesting ceremonies were conducted by D. G. D. Thompson, assisted by P. G. D. A. J. Gill and Grand Guide Wm. Pitcairn. The officers installed were: Dictator, John A. Adams; V. D., W. C. Krause; Reporter, J. F. Lobaugh; F. R., W. H. Arthurs; Treasurer, J. A. Elphinstone, and Sentinel, C. Burgy. The order at large is in a highly prosperous condition. In Pennsylvania over 1,000 applications have been received during the past year.

Business at the Banks Yesterday and During the Week.

Bankers reported a good demand for yesterday with which to clear up the week's obligations. There was no outside movement however. Reports from all the prominent centers show an easy feeling, with supplies adequate to the demand. Pittsburg Clearing House business was slightly below the average, the 2507.794 40. The subjoined table gives the totals rania over 1,000 appace during the past year.

-The tenth anniversary of Orion Council, No. 224, Royal Arcanum, will be celebrated at Odd Fellows' Hall, corner Eighteenth and Sarah streets, Southside, on the night of January 24, the program being unusually select. The entertainment will no doubt be an event long to be remembered. The Great Western Band has been engaged for the occasion. The committee of arrangements consists of the following well known gentlemen: J. A. H. Hunker, Phillip Hoerr, Wm. C. Burt, Caleb Davis, George Lauffer, C. E. Breitweisser, Dr. H. L. Reinicke and Ed. Campbell.

At the last regular meeting of Allegheny Council No. 228, National Union, the following officers were installed for this year: President, Robert Shearer; Vice President, H. A. Buehner; Speaker, Wim. Hall; Secretary, Archie Gardiner; Financial Secretary, Thomas W. McMasters; Treasurer, John H. McChesney; Chaplain, Win. Summerville; Usher, Geo. A. Drake; Sergeant-at-Arms, L. W. Kartlick; Doorkeeper, Fred Koerner; Trustees—H. C. Thompson, F. P. Crooks Jand A. B. Smith. Wim. V. Koerner was appointed Council Deputy. was appointed Council Deputy.

—An election of officers of the Eccentric Circle was held Thursday night. The following gentlemen were elected for the ensuing term: President, Harry H. Peterson; Vice President, D. F. Danahey; Treasurer, John J. Reno; Secretary, M. S. Welsh; Speaker, Joa. Carlin; Steward, Owen Smith; Surgeons, P. Madden, Eugeue Sheehan; Musical Instructor, J. L. Malone; Instructor of Elecution, John Stack.

Sons of Veterans.

The members of Major J. F. Slagle Camp No. 119, S. of V., were surprised at their last meeting by a visit from the Independent Auxiliary, who came in in a body, bringig awith them all kinds of choice refreshments. The members hardly knew how to entertain the fair ladies, but they succeeded, with the ladies' assistance and every one present greatly enjoyed. sistance, and every one present greatly enjoyed

Jr. O. U. A. M. -Hildale Council No. 235 held a grand enter rainment at the Sixth ward schoolhouse, Allegheny, on Thursday evening. C. E. Brown was manager, and Mrs. Alice Parsons, the Vogler sisters, Leon J. Long, the Hamiltons and others took partin the programme. There was a large audience present.

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-The following are the newly elected officers of the Tariff C dets: President, L. Feinnerg, Vice President, Harry Wizansky; Secretary, R. Pries: Treasurer, Harry Feinberg; Committee on Uniform, W. Rosenberg and A. Shultz.

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Branches of Local Industry.

OIL AND STOCKS GAINING GROUND

Five Hundred Applicants for Real Estate in the City and Suburbs.

PERMITS GRANTED FOR 33 NEW HOUSES

The salient features of the week in local business circles present several points of general interest. Money ruled easy, with a

fair demand for strictly legitimate purposes. The upward movement in local securities ontinued. Gas shares were notably strong Philadelphia, Chartiers and Wheeling led in activity, and even closed higher than it opened on Monday.

The influences underlying the oil market were

rather bearish early in the week. Prices were wayward and the direction downward. Later on, wever, the bulls took a hand in the play, and established a firmer feeling, though without augmenting the figures until just before the close at noon yesterday, when they scored the biggest victory of the week, and claimed to have changed the tide permanently in their favor. The bears couldn't see it, however, and until they disclose the colored gentleman in the woodpile. It may be found that he belongs to the Standard family.

Business in real estate was fully up to the average of the midwinter season. There were, it is estimated by a Fourth avenue dealer, at least 500 inquiries for property luring the week and about 100 sales, cash being paid in most cases. Leases and rents were about closed up, A large number of mortgages were placed on city and suburban property, generally at 6 per cent. The money thus realized will be largely applied to building purposes and to the enlargement of business enterprises. Thirty-three permits for new buildings were granted during the week, at an estimated cost of \$29,000. Iron manifested a waiting disposition. It was the general opinion that a good demand would soon set in and prices improve. Acting on this theory, the furnaces were not pushing their product. But while there was no pressure to sell there was no anxiety to buy-the result being a dull market so far as business was concerned.

HOLD THEIR OWN.

All the Specialties in Local Stocks Firm-

Gas Still Climbing. Business at the Stock Exchange yesterday was not remarkably buoyant, but all the spe-cialties were strong. This was notably the case with natural gas. The Philadelphia Company maintained its position at 40, with few sellers. Chartiers was also very strong. There was a better demand for Traction and Electric. Bank stocks, as a rule, are considered a good and safe investment. They were baily wanted, but with one exception sellers failed to respond. A Fourth avenue broker who returned from New York yesterday reported a better feeling in rallroad stock, owing to the probable speedy settlement of existing troubles, and the adop-tion of a system which will prevent the use of railroad securities for speculative purposes.
The following quotations show the drift of

prices on the local Exchange:	1000	-
STOCKS.	Bid.	Aske
Allegheny National Bank	60	**
Bank of Pittsburg. Commercial National Bank	70	**
Commercial National Bank	*****	
Diamond National Bank	120	
Exchange National Bank	81	
First National Bank, Pittsburg	163	
Fourth National Bank	118	- 0
Freehold Bank	48	
Iron City National Bank	90	
Keystone National	60	
Masonle Bank Merc'ts' and Manuf. National Ban	58	**
merc'is and manuf. National Ban	K 05	**
Odd Fellows' Savings Bank	63	**
Pittsburg National Bank Commerce	225	
Pittsburg Bank for Savings	200	150
Peoples' National Bank Peoples' Savings Bank	160	
Tradesmen's N. Bank.	100	**
German National Bank	140	****
Second National Bank, Allegheny,	199	***
Citizens' Insurance Co	170	42
National Insurance Co	58	44
Allegheny Gas Co. (Illum)	特に	- 22
East End Gas Co. (Illum.)	70	
Chartiers Valley Gas Co	55	57
Natural Gas Co., W. Va	57	
Pennsylvania Gas Co		15
Philadelphia Gas Co	40	401
Wheeling Gas Co	2014	204
Columbia Oil Co	***** ****	
Washington Off Co	**** 2000	70
Citizens' Traction	77	80
Pittsburg Traction	43	49
La Noria Mining Co	136	100
Westinghouse Electric	24	261
Union Switch and Signal Co		109
Westinghouse Airbrake Co	60	63
Pittsburg Cyclorama Co	**** 00	-
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The sales comprised 100 shares	w heelin	g Ga
at 30, and 25 shares at 29%, 100 Phi	iadelphi	a Ga

at 30, and 20 shares at 29%, 100 Philadelphia Gas at 40, 100 Keystone Bank at 60, After the call 20 shares of Keystone were sold by John D. Bailey, presumably at 60. Sales on change ag-gregated 235 shares, divided as above. A few small transactions took place outside—princi-pally in gas. pally in gas.

The total sales of stocks at New York yesterday were 117,152 shares, including Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 17,200; Eric, 12,940; Lake Shore, 7,305; Michigan Central, 2,480; Missouri Pacinc, 3,200; Northwestern, 3,110; Reading, 14,700; St. Paul, 15,000.

MONEY TALKS.

\$267,794 40. The subjoined table gives the totals for the past two weeks:

Exchanges. Monday \$ 2,481,651 27 Tuesday 1,975,481 49 Wednesday 2,045,641 53 Thursday 1,635,822 85 Friday 1,710,154 46 Saturday 1,725,708 32	Balances, \$ 398, 628 66 304, 377 77 330, 410 58 208, 838 64 267, 639 37 267, 794 40
Totals	\$1, 837, 689 42 \$1, 928, 808 32
Exchanges. Wednesday 2.884,121.20 Thursday 2.405,703.66 Friday 2.442,584.55 Saturday 2.133,696.42	Week. Balances. \$ 478, 245 86 343, 856 76 408, 048 85 337, 688 09
Totals for the week . \$12, 202, 089 34	61, 952, 318 73

Reserve, increase. The banks hold \$14,482,545 in excess of the

NEW YORK—Ulearings to-day, \$112,295,868; balances, \$6,582,171. For the week, clearings, \$680,360,413; balances, \$35,372,630. Boston-Clearings to-day, \$16,310,484; balances, \$1,506,450. For the week, clearings, \$90,554,570; balances, \$9,332,230. For same week last year, clearings, \$95,597,370; balances, \$9,215,043. BALTIMORE-Clearings, \$2,353,147; balances,

PHILADELPHIA—Clearings, \$11,174,309; balances, \$1,555,476. For the week, clearings, \$69,947,251; balances, \$9,990,549. CHICAGO-Money easy at 6@8 per cent.

OIL STRONGER The Market Opens Weak, but Grows Better

and Closes Rather Bullish. The oil market yesterday was short but not very sweet. The opening was weak, in the absence of support, at 86, 1½ below that of Friday. Then the boys braced up, resolved to do or die, and elevated the figures to 86%. They soon found the thing wouldn't work, and lost soon found the thing wouldn't work, and lost courage, the result being a drop to 85%, the low water mark for the day.

This was followed by a spasmodic reaction to 85%, at which the market stood when the hammer fell. This was a material gain over final figures, and gave the buils reason to hope that the tide had turned in their favor. The feeling was strong at the close.

In the opinion of the buil element the worst is over, for the present at least. The opening

PITTSBURG DISPATCH, SUNDAY, JANUARY 13, 1889. price was 86; highest, 86%; lowest, 85%; closed, 85%. Friday's clearings were 1,368,000 barrels. Field news was unimportant. The carrying rates were unchanged.

A. B. McGrew quotes: Puts, 85%c; calls, 87%c The following table, corrected by De Witt Dil-worth, broker in petroleum, etc., corner Fifth avenue and Wood street, Pittaburg, shows the order of fluctuations, etc.:

> Opened
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> 11:15 P. M.
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> 10:15 A. M.
> 86½
> 86¼
> 11:15 P. M.
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> 10:30 A. M.
> 86
> 86½
> 11:45 P. M.
> 86½
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> 10:45 A. M.
> 85½
> 86
> 12:20
> 86½
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> 11:00 A. M.
> 85½
> 85
> Closed
> 86½
> Opened, 86c; highest, 865c; lowest, 85%c; Daily runs..... Average runs.... Daily charters.... Average charters. Dearance on the control of the contr

Taylorstown Oil News. ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.I TAYLORSTOWN, January 12.—The Beabout is almost apgood a gasser as the John Grimes'

A bit was lost in hole this morning, and a good fishing job is expected.

The Donahey, since drilled in the sand, is showing up for a 75-barrel well.

James Hodgens, Sr., No. 5, will be shot in a few days. James Hodgens, Jr., No. 2 will get the sand this afternoon. This well is surrounded by the White Brothers wells and indications show for a nice well.

REALIZING ON REALTY.

A Twenty-Five Thousand Dollar Deal in the Thirteenth Ward. The feeling in real estate circles yesterday was quiet but hopeful. Considerable business was transacted that was not reported. A certain class of buyers are wedded to the opinion that it would injure them to do business openly. There was considerable favorable talk concerning the Exchange scheme. Negotiations were opened for the sale of two farms and a big suburban hotel. Steps were taken to plat a ten-acre lot, near the city, for building pur-

poses.

Black & Baird, 25 Fourth avenue, sold for William Loeffler, to Dr. John Logan, a new two-story and mansard brick dwelling on Fifth avenue, near Halket street, Oakland, with lot 2x127 feet, for 28,000. This is the fourth and last of the four houses recently built by Mr. Loeffler, all of which have been sold by the above firm. Ewing & Byers placed a mortgage of \$1,000 for two years, at 6 per cent, on Sarah street

property.
D. P. Thomas & Co., 408 Grantstreet, sold for D. P. Thomas & Co., 408 Grantstreet, soid for Caspar Wensel, to Mary S. Speer, the property lying between Wylie and Webster avenues. Thirteenth ward, Pittsburg, consisting of a number of lots, brickyard and three brick houses, for \$25,000. They also placed a mortgage of \$1,600 on East End property. gage of \$1,000 on East End property.

Alles & Bailey placed a mortgage for \$1,000 for three years at 6 per cent on property in the Twelfth ward, Allegheny City.

John F. Baxter sold lot No. 60, Bank of Commerce addition extended, Brushton Station, frontage of 50 feet on Baxter street; 150 to 50 foot alley, to Fred Fenker, for \$500.

W. W. McNeill & Bro., of 162 Fourth avenue, reported the sale and settlement of a mortgage for \$1,000 on property at Brushton Station, Pennsylvania Railroad, 3 years, at 6 per cent; also, one of \$1,100, one of \$275 and one of \$500 on properties in the Second ward. Allegheny, all at 6 per cent; also, a mortgage of \$1,500 at 6 per cent on property at Bridgeville, in Upper St. Clair Township.

Thomas McCaffrey, \$509 Butler street; reported the following transactions: Sold for

ported the following transactions: Sold for Rose Harty, on Forty-fifth street, near Penn avenue, frame house, stable and lot tor \$1,500; also for Daniel Donglass to Thomas Hogan, corner Main street and Howley avenue, house and lot for \$1,800; also for William H. and Goorne A. M. William. George A. McWilliams to Elizabeth Phillips, five lots fronting on Dauphin street, Nineteenth ward, for \$1,250 each; also for S. F. Minor to George W. Suckling, lot 20x100 on Mifflin street, near Main, for \$700; also for Denny estate to John E. Fuchs, lot in Thirteenth ward, for \$450; also for G. W. Rankin, administrator of John Woolslaver's estate, to John Sperber, lot 20x100, on Liberty avenue, between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets, for \$875; also sold for Margaret George to Alex Wilkinson, frame house and lot on Denny, near Thirty-fourth street, for \$2.250; also for S. F. Minor to W. G. Unis. lot 20x100, on Mifflin street, near Main, for \$700; also for S. F. Minor to Margaret George, lot 20x100, on Mifflin street, near Main, for \$700; also same to John Thoma, lot 20x100, on Mifflin street, near Main, for \$700. He also placed a mortgage of \$550, one of \$1,000 and one of \$3,000, all for three years at 6 per cent, in Thirteenth, Sixteenth and Eighteenth wards. There is a big demand for property along Butler, Penn avenue and adjoining streets since the cable cars com-menced to run out that way. Reed B. Coyle & Co. sold for Mr. Lloyd a modern brick residence of 10 rooms, on Craig street, in the Fulton place plan, with lot 50x142,

A BUILDING SPURT. Thirty-Three Permits Issued the Past Week -Descriptions of the Houses. Inspector Frank issued 33 permits for build-

ings of all kinds the past week-a large majority of them being dwellings. The total cost of these structures is estimated at \$20,000. This is considered a remarkably good record for this eason. The list is appended: A. Northrop, iron-clad one-story wareroom, 20x72 feet, on Twenty-third street, between Mary and June. John and Mary Brenner, frame two-story

dwelling, 17x32 feet, on Erie street, Twenty-John Butz, frame two-story dwelling, 18x34 feet, on Webster avenue, between Fran-cis and Morgan streets. Christian Hieber, frame two-story dwelling, 22x32 feet, on Brereton avenue. Frank Kotouiski, two-story dwelling, 20x16 feet, on Conkling street, Thirteenth ward, Simon Kruczkowski, frame two-story dwell-ing, 20x16 feet, on Conkling street, Thirteenth

ward.

Samuel Riddle, frame two-story manufactory, 24x75 feet, on Liberty street, between Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets.

Francis A. Fischer, frame two-story dwelling, 18x30 feet, on Brereton avenue, between Dickson and Hancock streets.

Lohn Snarker, frame, two-story dwelling. John Sperber, frame two-story dwelling, 17x32 feet, on Liberty street, between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets.

Louis Kerchner, frame two-story stable, 24x32

feet, on rear of Second street, corner of haple J. W. Roessner, frame one-story and mansard dwelling, 18x34 feet, on Rose street, between Charles and Addison streets. Charles and Addison streets.

George Garbart, frame two-story dwelling,
17x22 feet, on Keystone street, between Fiftyfirst and Fifty-second street.

Bartley Carn, frame one-story dwelling, 12x24
feet, on Park avenue, between Renfrew and
Shetland streets. hetland streets.

F. L. Loeffler, frame one-story stable, 14x14 feet, on rear of Craig street, between Forbes and Marbury streets.
Jacob Josephs, frame two-story dwelling.
2734x27 feet, on Second avenue, between Mauriel and Henry streets.
Mrs. C. Watson, frame two-story and attic dwelling, 21x41 feet, on Park avenue, near Meadow street.
Dilworth, Porter & Co., fronclad one-story snike mill. 48x150 feet, on river bank between on rear of Craig street, between Forbes

Dilworth, Porter & Co., fronclad one-story spike mill, 48x150 feet, on river bank between South Fourth and Fifth streets.
Jacob Zanner, frame second-story addition to dwelling 12x16 feet on Harcum's alley, between Nincteenth and Twentieth streets.
George Schauring, frame addition to two-story dwelling, 12x14 feet, on Boggs avenue, between Saffel street and Southern avenue.
Martin Scherer, frame one-story meat shop, 12x15 feet, on Webster avenue, between Somers and Channey streets.
Henry Gray, two frame two-story dwellings, 14x17 feet, on Dauphin street, Nincteenth ward. ward.
John O. B. Sawyer, frame one and a half-story

41 feet, on Sheridan street, near Hooveler street, Nineteenth ward.

E. M. Lausene, frame two-story dwelling-house, 20x41 feet, on Hoeveler street, between Collins and Sheridan streets. Nineteenth ward. George Marks, frame two-story dwelling, 22x 30 feet, on Castor street, between Independence and Adolph streets, Thirty-sixth ward.

Henry Holz, frame two-story dwelling and storeroom, 18x32 feet, on Second avenue, near Vespusci street. Vespusci street.

James Webb, frame two-story dwelling on Blaine street, between Frazier street and Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

Michael Hupf, frame two-story dwelling, 18x

When baby was sick, we gave her Castoria When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria, When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria, When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

82 feet, on Sterling street, Twenty-seventh ward. C. N. Reiner, frame two-story dwelling, 18x34 feet, on Mayllower street, near Park street, Twenty-first ward. PRICES MOVE UP.

A More Confident Feeling Takes Possess

of Wall Street Operators.

NEW YORK, January 12.—The stock market o-day was more active than usual of late, and the improvement in business went hand in hand with a strong tone which became very pronounced toward the close and carried prices up. The news of the day was almost all of a favorable character, and the bank statement showing an almost unprecedented gain to the banks, was a factor in the late dealings when the most marked strength of the day was shown. London and the continent were both liberal purchasers of their special ties, particu-larly at the opening, and after that time the very fair local buying was sufficient to keep prices moving steadily toward higher figures. All classes of stocks felt the stimulus of the An classes of stocks feet the stimulus of the more confident tone to the speculation, although the Grangers and Trunk lines were most prominent in the upward movement. Specially share advances were made by Manhattan, Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg and Omaha preferred, the first named gaining over 4 per cent on a comparatively heavy trading for that stock.

ing for that stock.
First prices were generally a shade lower than last evening's figures, because of the realizations of the short-waisted bulls, but the demand for stock made itself felt immediately and prices moved up all around, with Delaware and Hudson, Rock Island and the specialties lead-ing. The improvement continued slowly until toward the close, when the issue of the bank toward the close, when the issue of the calls statement made a more urgent demand for stocks, and in the last few minutes of the session prices were lifted more rapidly, the market closing fairly active and strong at the highest prices reached.

The entire list is higher. Manhattan rose

434. Rome, Watertown and Oguensburg 2, Omaha preferred 134, Delaware and Hudson 134, Chicago, Burlington and Quiney and Eris preferred each 134, Michigan Contral 134, Manitoba and Cousolidated Gas 1 per cent each, and others fractional amounts.

Railroad bonds showed about the usual amount of animation this morning, the sales of all issues reaching \$883,000 for the two hours of business. The Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe 8s and the Texas Pacific ists were the most active bonds, the latter furnishing \$91,000 to the day's total. The tone of the market continued fire to strong but the inversement in conta-

day's total. The tone of the market continued firm to strong, but the improvement in quotations was most marked in the inactive issues, the gains among the others being confined to small fractions.

The following table shows the prices of active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange. Corrected daily for THE DISPATCH by Whitney & Stephenson, members of New York Stock Exchange, 57 Fourth avenue.

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Mining Stocks. NEW YORK, January 12.—Amador, 150; Best and Belcher, 575; Caledonia, 285; Crown Point, 587; Consolidated California and Virginia, 875; Deadwood, 160; Gould and Curry, 290; Hale and Norcross, \$12; Iron Silver, \$3; Mexican, 370; Mono, 110; Mutual, 135; Navajo, 150; Ontario, \$32 50; Ophir, \$6; Plymouth, \$8; Savage, 350; Sierra Navada, 330; Union Consolidated, \$3; Yellow Jacket, 480.

Business Notes. SINCE the Wood street disaster quite a number of citizens have taken out accident policies. THE local insurance business was never in a better condition. Agents are reaping a rich harvest.

THERE was a heavy demand on 'Change yesterday for bank stocks, but the response was feeble. THE People's Natural Gas and Pipeage Company yesterday declared its first quarterly dividend of 2 per cent. GEORGE B. HILL returned vesterday from a

ousiness trip to New York. He thinks the railroad trouble is in a fair way for settlement, and that prices will soon shoot up. EX-MAYOR HENRY A. WEAVER declines the Presidency of the proposed Real Estate Ex-change in favor of W. A. Herron, who is the Nestor of the business in Pittsburg. S. A. KEAN & Co., No. 2 Wall street, New York, have just issued a small volume entitled "Bond Values and Interest Tables," which is of special value to investors. The matters of which it treats are presented in convenient, compact shape for ready reference, and are easily understood. It is a great improvement upon any former work upon the same subject.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Orders-Corn and Oats Steady-Pork Unsettled and Prices Irregular-Lard Tumbles and Rallies - Short Ribs Neglected.

CHICAGO-The wheat market was heavy and the feeling at the same time unsettled within a lower range of prices. The weakness developed esterday, and the uncertainty in regard to the final Government report created uneasiness among traders, especially the weaker "longs," and when the rush was made to sell there was demoralization for the time being. The open-John O. B. Sawyer, frame one and a half-story stable, 20x18 feet, on Thirty-ninth street, between Butler street and Penn avenue.

Elizabeth Von Hofen, frame two-story dwelling house, 18x22 feet, on Mt. Oliver street, near Ruben street.

Murphy & Diebold, brick two-story boiler-house, 20x74 feet, on Enterprise street, between Railroad and Frankstown avenue.

George W. Suckling, frame two-story dwelling, 18x32 feet, on Mifflin street, between Patrick McGough, frame two-story dwelling, 20x16 feet, on Bryant street, between Hiland and Euclid streets, Nineteenth ward.

A. L. Watkins, frame two-story dwelling, 20x 41 feet, on Sheridan street, near Hooveler street, Nineteenth ward.

A. L. Watkins, frame two-story dwelling, 20x 41 feet, on Sheridan street, near Hooveler street, Nineteenth ward. morning. Although the Government report was not as large as expected, it had its effect on the already weak market which existed. There was a recovery of 1/1c later, influenced by covering of "shorts," but again ruled easier, and the closing was 2c lower than yesterday. and the closing was 2c lower than yesterday.

Very little interest was shown in corn. The market opened about yesterday's closing figures, changed but little, operators who usually trade in this cereal giving wheat their attention, and at the close prices were about the same as the final figures yesterday.

There was only moderate interest in cats, and quiet and easy feeling prevailed in the near lutures, but the more distant ones were seady.

A fairly active trade was reported in mess pork and the feeling was somewhat unsettled and prices irregular. Opening sales were made at 10c decline and a further reduction of 10c was submitted to. About the middle of the session a stronger feeling was developed and prices rallied 12½ 15c, closing steady.

Trading was moderately active in lard.

Early a weaker feeling prevailed and prices

receded 74@10c; later more steadiness pre-valled and prices railied slightly, closing com-paratively steady. Only a light business was reported in short only a light business was reported in short ribs and the feeling was easier.

Prices ruled 547% lower and the market closed stendy at outside figures.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

WHEAT—No. 2 January, 36c; February, 594, 6994, 697697c; May, 51 (5966) 039401 00940 1 0094, July, 943, 6944, 6922, 6024.

CORN—No. 2 January, 33%c; March, 35@35c; May, 364, 6333, 6336, 6336, 6366, 626.

OATS—No. 2 January, 244c; May, 274, 6

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Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, steady and unchanged. No. 2 spring wheat, 504,206c; No. 3 spring wheat, 83c; No. 2 red, 504,206c. No. 2 corn, 33%,233%c. No. 2 cats, 243,223%c. No. 2 cars, 243,223%c. No. 2 trye, 48c. No. 2 barley, nominal. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 62%. Prime timothy seed \$1 54,21 55. Mess pork, per barrel, \$13 30. Lard, per 100 lbs, \$7 30. Short ribs sides (loose), \$3 90. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$7 25,27 37%. Receipts—Flour, 7,000 barrels; wheat, 12,000 bushels; corn, 97,000 bushels: oats, \$5,000 bushels. Shipments—Flour, 7,000 barrels; wheat, 14,000 bushels: corn, 98,000 bushels: aats, 72,000 bushels. On the Produce Exchange to-day the butter market was better: extra creamery, 22,236c. market was better; extra creamery, 262234c; extra firsts, 21623c; fancy dairy, 214623c; extra firsts, 16618c. Eggs better at 164618c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS. Condition of the Market at the East Liberty

Stock Yards. OFFICE OF PITTSBURG DISPATCH. SATURDAY, January 12, 1889. CATTLE-Receipts, 817 head: shipments, 646

head: market nothing doing; 24 cars of cattle shipped to New York to-day. HOGS—Receipts, 2,000 head; shipments, 2,500 head; market active; Philadelphias, \$5 20@5 25; mixed, \$5 40@5 50; Yorkers, \$5 45@5 55; common to fair, \$5 30@5 40; pigs, \$5 50@6 55; 11 cars of hogs shipped to New York to-day.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000 head; shipments, 1,800 head; market stronger at yesterday's prices.

LEGAL DRIFTWOOD.

tems About Litigants and Lawyers and What They Are Saving and Doing. PHILLIP Y. PENDLETON was yesterday admitted to practice at the Allegheny County

CHARTERS were granted yesterday to the Bethany Evangelical Lutheran Church, of Pittsburg, and to the U. P. Church, of West In the case of the Commonwealth vs M. F.

Cassidy, Alderman, the Prothonotary was ordered to pay to the State \$430 paid into his hands by the defendant, as fines collected in certain Law and Order cases. SUBPŒNAS in divorce were issued yesterda in the following cases, in all of which desertion was the cause for complaint: Mary Behers vs Franklin Behers; Appoloma McKeown vs John McKeown; Mary A. Powell vs Leroy C. Powell. HAWDON MARSHALL yesterday withdrew the caveat he had filed before Register Conner, protesting against the probating of the will of his father, Michael Marshall, who had left the bulk of his estate to his widow, Ann Marshall, and son Thomas P., giving Hawdon \$2,000. FREDERICK REIBER, of McKeesport, son of Augusta Reiber, a widow with seven children,

pointment of a Commissioner in Lunacy, alleging that his mother was unable to care for her property. H. B. Herron was appointed to hold the inquest. In the divorce suit of Agnes Scott against John K. Scott, the latter yesterday withdrew his request for a jury trial, and R. H. Douglass, Esq., was appointed a Commissioner to take testimony. The suit grew out of the controversy between Scott and Dr. Bingaman. In addition to the divorce suit there is one pending against Scott in the Criminal Court for assault and battery on Dr. Bingaman.

filed a petition yesterday asking for the ap-

sault and battery on Dr. Bingaman.

THE Judges of the Common Pleas and Orphans' Court met yesterday and decided that the examining committee for the admission of students to the bar be increased from five to six members, three of them to be appointed each year to serve for two years. The committee appointed for 1889 was A. M. Watson, Andrew P. Morrison and J. Mc. F. Carpenter, to serve one year, and W. B. Rodgers, William Scott and T. B. Alcorn, to serve for two years.

JUDGE EWING yesterday filed an opinion in the suit of the First National Bank of Pittsburg against W. J. Kountz and R. H. King and others. The suit was brought under the act of 1819, entitled "an act regulating suits on promissory notes and for taking stock in execution."

The Court had awarded a process in the nature The Court had awarded a process in the nature of a foreign attachment to attach stock stand-ing in the names of other persons, but alleged to belong to W. J. Kountz. The Court yester-day discharged the rules taken to quash the attachments.

Monday's Trial List. Common Pleas No. 1-Reno et al vs P. & W. Rv. Co.:Perkins et al vs B., P. & C. Ry. Co.: Morrison vs school district of Mifflin township: Mugele vs Greer et al.; Wharton, Jr., & Co. vs P., K. & St. C. Ry. Co.; McKelvy vs Mc-Kee, administrator; Wilson et al vs Walton et al; VanVoorhis vs Gumbert; Musterman vs Musterman; Ollinler vs Weiss; Call vs Ray.

Common Pleas No. 2—Jones vs Chartiers Valley Gas Company; Rowley vs Sons of Veterans; Louis vs Nimick & Brittain Manufacturing Company; Jutte et al vs Chartiers Valley Gas Company; Jutte et al vs Chartiers Valley Chartiers V uring Company; Jutte et al vs Chartiers Val-ley Gas Company; Didier vs Pennsylvania Company; Byrnes et al vs Porter et al; Sem-melroch vs Tiers et al; Farrar vs Herron; Rob-inson et al vs Howley; Donley vs Pittsburg Lo-

inson et al vs Howley; Donley vs Pittsburg Locomotive Works.
Criminal Court—Commonwealth vs P. M.
McInerny, P. M. Connelly, Yerck Wall, Henry
Mehel, James Neill, William Bechtold et al,
W. F. Jones, Springer Lenhart, Joseph Allen,
Mary Schock et al, William Hall, Frank
Gardener, Patrick Sullivan, Henry Reifer,
Catharine Schmidt (2), Mary Herdman (2),
Barney Walker (2), Andrew Wilson, Andrew
McGlumphey, Reddy Cobbs, Mike Filkin,
George W. Kaywood, Wm. Gray.

WHY BABIES CRY. What to Do With the Little One When it Screams at Night.

St. Louis Republic.] The baby screams and the father, more often the mother, walks the floor with it through the long hours of the night. Do healthy babies cry? They do not; when a baby cries there is something wrong in the management. Frequently it is the arrangement of the clothing. Swaddle a young ape in the clothing a baby is obliged to wear and he will scream his life out. They crawl naked in the sand around the parental hut. Give the babics elbow room. A stoic could not endure the constrained positions into which babies are forced by their unnatural

clothing.

Often the fault is in the diet. The stimulants which pervade the culinary department irritate the young and delicate nervous tissue. Then babies cry and bother people; and "paregorie" is brought upon the scene. The baby cries for a little common-sense treatment and receives poison. Some people have conscientious scruples about giving children paregoric, but other nar-cotics are sold under pleasanter names and at popular prices.

LIPE along the river front and the comical side of the life of a New York policeman at Harris' this week.

Rheumatism

According to recent investigation is caused by excess of lactic acid in the blood. This acid attacks the fibrous tissues, particularly in the oints, and causes the local manifestations of the disease, pains and aches in the back and shoulders, and in the joints at the knees, ankles, hips and wrists. Thousands of people have found in Hood's Sarsaparilia a positive and permanent cure for rheumatism. The medicine, by its purifying and vitalizing action, neu-tralizes the acidity of the blood, and also builds

up and strengthens the whole body.
"I was laid up for six months with rheumatism, and used many kinds of medicines without good result till one of my neighbors told me to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. When I had used half a bottle I felt better, and after taking two bottles I think I was entirely cured as I have not had an attack of rheumatism since." Eu-GENE H. DIXON, Rossville, Staten Island, N. Y N. B. Be sure to get

Hood's Sarsaparilla Sold by all druggists. \$1; six for \$5. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Lowell, Mass,

City Contracts. The largest contracts given out by the Board of Awards yesterday were those for excavating a site for the Fourteenth ward police station, John Wales, \$5,299, and re-pairing the storm damage to Southside mar-

For all diseases of the Throat and Lungs, no remedy is so safe, speedy, and certain as Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. An indispensable family medicine. "I find Ayer's Cherry Pectoral an invaluable remedy for colds, coughs, and other ailments of the throat and lungs." - M. S. Randall, 204 Broadway,

Albany, N. Y. "I have used Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

for bronchitis and Lung Diseases. for which I believe it to be the greatest medicine in the world." - James Miller,

Caraway, N. C. "My wife had a distressing cough, with pains in the side and breast. We tried various medicines, but none did her any good until I got a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral which has cured her. A neighbor, Mrs. Gleun, had the measles, and the cough was relieved by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. I have no hesitation in recommending this medicine." - Robert Horton, Foreman Headlight, Morrillton, Ark.

"Ayer's Cherry Pectoral cured me of a severe cold which had settled on my lungs. My wife says the Pectoral helps her more than any other medicine she ever used."-Enos Clark, Mt. Liberty, Kansas. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,

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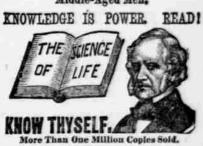
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But here comes the strangest fact of all.

the time when Christ was born. This is history and science. the science of recognition. history and science.

The fact which I want to bring out is that

those mysterious Eastern pilgrims. They seeking or watching. were not alone in their witness of the bright, new star, but in one respect they do seem to have been quite alone. "When they saw the star they rejoiced faces were, no doubt, upturned with curi-For some people walk so unheedingly. so blindly, through this interesting and beautiful world, that, as Charles Lamb suggested, they would not be at all surprised if

They were eminently the men who recognized. There is a plain distinction between observation and recognition; between seeing tian teaching you can find. Live among a man and knowing who and what kind of the saints; study the Christian Scriptures as man he is; between seeing a wheel in a ma- the wise men studied the sky; do the nearest chine and knowing what the wheel is for; task; follow the clearest religious light between seeing a star and knowing as much about it as Professor Langley knows; be-Christ said so. You may trust Him. Whattween reading a sentence of Plato or St. ever of truth you need to know, you shall John, and recognizing the meaning of know. which the words are the messengers. There

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